Graduate Seminars – David Newman, Coordinator

Speaker: Alex Vasquez, NDSU ANSC Graduate Student

Topic: Effects of Realimentation on Umbilical Blood Flow, Fetal and Placental Measurements, and Birth Weight in Nutrient Restricted Ewes

Alex Vasquez is originally from Ecuador. He graduated as a veterinarian in 2004 from Ecuador’s Central University. He worked in a small animal veterinary clinic for three years before applying to NDSU. He is starting his second year as an M.S. student under the guidance of Dr. Kim Vonnahme.

Speaker: Matthew Crouse, NDSU ANSC Graduate Student

Topic: Nutrient Transporters in Bovine Uteroplacental Tissues from Days 16 to 50 of Gestation

Matthew Crouse grew up in El Paso, TX. He completed his B.S. degree in animal science with minors in equine science and chemistry in 2014 at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces. He is working as a ruminant nutrition laboratory technician in the Department of Animal Sciences while simultaneously pursuing his M.S. degree in animal science/ruminant nutrition under the guidance of Dr. Joel Caton.

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 13; 10:00 a.m.

Location: Hultz Hall 104
Friday Afternoon Club – Kendall Swanson, Coordinator
Facilitator: Larry Reynolds

Topic: Dietary l-leucine supplementation enhances development in suckling pigs
By Sun et al.

Date/Time: Friday, October 9; 3:00 p.m.

Location: Hultz 104

Hunt Seat Team Success

The NDSU Hunt Seat Team, coached by Mattia Gunkelman (center, front) received High Point Team on both Saturday and Sunday, October 3 and 4, at their first show in River Falls, WI. Team members are Hailey Aagard, Emma Ballard, Kara Berntson, Rachel Bryne, Lauren Ciernia, Bryn Hailey, Bridget Kackos, Sarah Jilka, Mikayla Miller, Annise Montplaisir, Madysen Offerman, Becky Prasch, Morgan Samuelson, Nick Scarberry, Sasha Seekins, Samantha Stoel, Erin Thelander, Dana Williams, and Kayla Young.

Recent Extension Publication
Fara Brummer and Vern Anderson.
R1769 – Processing Forages for Livestock Feed
Lucas Riley Haack

Born – Friday, September 25, 2015,
At 3:30 p.m. in Shakopee, MN
Weight – 7 pounds, 8 ounces
Length – 20 inches long
Parents – Corrie (Redmer) and Shane Haack
Big Brother – Jack, age 2

Lucas is shown here with Grandpa Dale Redmer who had the following to say:

“Proud grandpa’s heart melts as he gets to kiss his second grand baby on Day 2!”

Meat Judging Team Update – Tyler Frick, Coach
This past Saturday was the AMSA Eastern National Contest. This was the first time North Dakota State University has been represented at this contest. Overall the team was 9th out of 16 teams, 6th in lamb and veal judging, 3rd in pork, and 8th in total placing. Jaden Carlson was 13th overall, 7th in beef grading, 1st in lamb and veal judging, and 5th in pork judging. Cora Huss was 13th in pork judging. Brittany Olson was 8th in lamb and veal judging, and 3rd in total placings.

Homecoming King Candidate – Saddle & Sirloin Club Facebook Page
Phil Wanner, the 2016 Little I Manager, was been selected by Saddle & Sirloin Club as their nominee for Homecoming King. Check out and like the Facebook page Philip Wanner for NDSU Homecoming King.
Moos, Ewes & More
(photos by J.W. Schroeder and Eric Berg)

Moos, Ewes & More was a fabulous success again this year with a record 1,653 people (817 children and 836 adults) attending. A big “thank you” to the Moos, Ewes & More committee which consists of Erika Berg and Stacey Ostby (co-chairs), Skip Anderson, Lisa Christenson, Shannon Eck Josie Hayden, Kim Koch, J.W. Schroeder, Kim Vonnahme, and Sarah Wagner and to the many, many volunteers who helped to make the event memorable.